

VIRGINIA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, BLIND AND MULTI-DISABLED AT HAMPTON

Vacancy Announcement

POSITION: TRADES/UTILITIES WORKER

(Electrician)

Position#: W0031

Open Date: 02/23/07

Hiring Range: (\$12.00 - \$17.00/hourly)

Closing Date: Until Filled

The Virginia School for the Deaf, Blind and Multi-Disabled at Hampton is seeking an experienced, qualified Trades/Utilities Worker to join its Buildings and Grounds Team to perform maintenance and electrical services for the agency and provide maintenance and electrical support for changes in buildings and electrical systems. The successful candidate will assist in performing inspections on electrical components, HVAC systems, various plumbing fixtures, water heaters, and piping systems. The selected individual will demonstrate the knowledge, skills and motivation to perform hands-on at a pace setting level.

Responsibilities include:

- Maintains electrical systems by completing inspections and providing maintenance as needed
- Performs interior and exterior lighting inspections, and makes repairs as needed
- Analyzes malfunctioning fire alarm system components and performs repairs as needed
- Installs electrical systems, circuits, motors, light fixtures, ballasts, conduit and wire moldings, as assigned
- Complete routine work requests within seven working days
- Performs plumbing, general maintenance and grounds duties as assigned
- Proficiency or willingness to learn American Sign Language in order to communicate with students, parents, and other agency staff who are deaf
- Current CPR and First Aid Certifications are required, or certification must be obtained within 90 days of employment
- Willingness to work various shifts during emergencies and/or agency needs

Minimum Qualifications:

- Technical school, electrical certification, practical experience or equivalent of education and experience, required
- High School Diploma or GED, preferred
- Knowledge of building codes, fire safety codes and regulations, OSHA codes and compliance rules, preferred
- HVAC/Refrigeration and plumbing experience, preferred
- Virginia Driver's License

Physical Requirements:

- Ability to lift and move objects 40-100 pounds
- Standing, sitting, reaching, lifting, walking, bending, climbing, and repetitive motion
- Tolerate various chemicals and weather conditions

For consideration, submit State application form #10-012 to: The Virginia School for the Deaf, Blind and Multi-Disabled at Hampton, Office of Human Resources, 700 Shell Road, Hampton, VA 23661. For assistance call VOICE/TDD (757) 247-2050 or FAX (757) 247-2028 or visit our website at www.vsdmbh.virginia.gov. Applications are available online at <http://jobs.state.va.us/eo-appli.htm>.

Resumes will not be accepted in lieu of a completed state application.